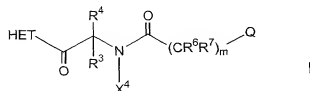


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Abstract

A compound of the formula



- 5 wherein R^3 , R^4 , R^6 , R^7 , X^4 , Q and HET are as defined above, useful for the treatment or prevention of disorders, diseases or conditions responsive to the activation of melanocortin receptor.